

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1 of the text, in the first line under the heading "Related Applications", following the phrase "present application is", please insert: —a continuation of U. S. Application Serial No. 09/495,666, filed February 1, 2000 by the present inventors, which was in turn—.

On the same page in the fourth and seventh lines, please also change "This present" to read instead: —The parent—.

On page 4, at line 15, before "pressure applied" please change "ink" to read instead —air—.

On page 7, at line 1, please change "Fig. 20" to read instead —Figs. 20A and 20B—.

Please add the Abstract that is presented here:

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An air pressurization system is incorporated as part of a replaceable auxiliary ink supply for an inkjet printer. The auxiliary ink-supply cartridge includes a pressurized container having air, ink and electrical-signal connections. The air pressure applied to the auxiliary ink supply is monitored to maintain it in a predetermined range in accordance with a start-up sequence, and operational sequence, a waiting time, and a close-down sequence.

Also please make the following changes that were submitted in a Rule 312(a) amendment in the parent case, and entered (though evidently overlooked in printing the issued patent).

In the Related Applications section:

Page 1, line 3 after "PRINthead" insert – (now Patent 6,030,074) –

Page 1, line 7, after "PRINTER" insert – (now Patent 6,206,512) –

Page 1, line 10, after "SYSTEM" insert – (now Patent 6,074,042) –

In the Brief Description of the Drawings section:

Page 5, line 3, change "perspedtive" to – perspective –

Page 5, line 18, delete the period before "Fig. 6A"

Page 6, line 19, change "pressur" to - pressure -

Page 6, line 23, change "exemplaryl" to - exemplary -

Page 7, line 1, after "reservoir" insert - , respectively -

Page 7, line 3, change "need" to - needle -

In the DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS SECTION

Page 9, line 3, before "diffusion" insert - prevent -

Page 9, line 21, change "Fig. 1A," to - Figs. 1A, 2A and 2B, -

Page 10, line 26, change "Fig. 1A," to - Figs. 1A, 2A and 2B, -

Page 11, line 19, change "Figure 3" to - Figure 1B -

Page 14, line 15, change "FIG. 4" to - Fig. 4 -

Page 16, line 17, change "FIG. 4C" to - Fig. 4C -

Page 17, lines 14-15, delete "is the subject of the present invention The electrical interconnection portion 570"

Page 26, lines 6-7, delete "(not part of this invention)"

Page 27, line 18, change ", quick connect," to - for quick connection, -

Page 28, line 15, change "opining" to - opening -

Page 29, line 2, change "deteted" to - detected -

Page 29, line 3, change "preven" to - prevent -

Page 29, line 4, after "There" delete - there -

Page 29, line 5, change "reduces" to - reduce -

Page 29, line 7, after "chart" insert - of Figs. 18A-D -

Page 29, line 11, change "masimum" to - maximum -

Page 29, line 12, change "wiar" to - wait -

Page 29, line 19, change "book=shaped" to - book shaped -

Page 30, incorporate the last three lines as part of the table which is now to be identified as - TABLE I -

Page 31, line 1, delete "Pressure Budget"

Page 31, incorporate the last two lines as part of the table which is now to be identified as - TABLE II -

Page 32, line 3, before "following" insert - APS -

Page 32, line 3, after "shown in" insert - Fig. 19 of -

Page 32, line 4, delete " The APS Duty Cycle"

Page 32, the table at the bottom is now to be identified as - TABLE III -

Page 32, in the table at the bottom, delete the three abbreviations "RR"

Page 32, in the table at the bottom, delete the words "for Roadrunner "

Page 32, in the table at the bottom, delete the three words "Mirage"

Page 33, line 1, delete "Air Leakage"

Page 33, line 16, delete "Air Pump"

Page 33, line 17, change "This" to - The air pump -

Page 33, line 19, after "benefits" delete - of -

Page 33, lines 20 - 22, delete the large bullet dots and indentations at the beginning of each line

Page 33, line 20, change the period at the end of the line to a semicolon - , -

- Page 33, line 21, change the period at the end of the line to a semicolon ; –
- Page 33, the table at the bottom is now to be identified as – TABLE IV –
- Page 33, incorporate the last two lines as part of the table
- Page 34, line 1, delete "Device selection notes"
- Page 34, line 4, delete "Pressure Relief Valve"
- Page 34, line 5, delete "This" and substitute – The pressure relief valve –
- Page 34, line 5, after "Normally Closed" insert – (NC) –
- Page 34, the table in the middle of the page is now to be identified as – TABLE V –
- Page 34, the first line after the table in the middle of the page, delete "Device selection notes "
- Page 34, the first line after the table in the middle of the page, after "valves" delete the colon " "
- Page 34, the fifth line after the table in the middle of the page, delete "Pressure Sensor"
- Page 34, the sixth line after the table in the middle of the page, delete "This" and substitute – The pressure sensor –
- Page 34, the table at the bottom of the page is now to be identified as – TABLE VI –
- Page 34, the first line after the table at the bottom of the page, delete "Device selection notes."
- Page 34, the first line after the table at the bottom of the page, delete "mountings for"
- Page 34, incorporate the last line in the table at the bottom of the page
- Page 35, line 15, after "resolved " add the following – The flow charts of Figs. 18A–D are best understood by reference to the exemplary APS duty cycle graph shown in Fig. 19. The